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ADDRESSES ON BOY SCOUT WORK BY COMMISSIONERS

Kiwanis Club Enjoys Two Interesting and Educational Addresses given by Messrs. Solway and Selby. Teachings of Movement Enumerated. Strong Appeal Made for Support of Boy Scout Work in District.

The Boy Scout movement was the subject for consideration at the weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis Club on Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance of members and several visitors were also present. Rev. W. J. James was chairman of the evening, and Messrs. Solway and Selby, field commissioners of the Boy Scouts association, were the principal speakers. Mr. Solway prefaced his remarks by stating that the movement was a religious movement, and that the Boy Scouts were not a military organization. He then spoke of the importance of the movement in the world, and of the need for support from the community. He also spoke of the importance of the movement in the world, and of the need for support from the community.

all creeds and nationalities together, and they are taught to respect the opinions of others. The Rock of Women is another temptation of the boys are given advice about and warned to guard against. Mr. Selby concluded by urging the Kiwanians to get behind the movement here and give it moral and financial support. Clean men should be selected to take the leadership, and then these men should be encouraged and helped in their work.

TO USE STRAW FOR MAKING PAPER

Tests of paper from Alberta straw, which have been going forward for some time in Montreal, have now reached a further stage, says Howard Stutchbury, provincial trade commissioner. Mr. Stutchbury has received an inquiry from the Montreal firm asking for suitable information as to suitable Alberta straws which may be used as filler material in the process of manufacturing the paper.

Mr. Stutchbury has already been in touch with several of the straw growers in the province, and he is now making a list of the straws which are suitable for the purpose. A proper class will be one that will turn white, and is reasonably free from lime, and anybody knowing of such straws is requested to advise Mr. Stutchbury accordingly, so that samples may be secured and forwarded for further tests.

Other inquiries are reaching the provincial trade commissioner daily, touching on various natural resources of the province. A firm in Kitchener, Ont., for example, wishes to hear about Bentonite deposits for use in ornamental plaster casting. Samples have been sent to this firm for examination. Another inquiry asks for particulars of sandstone for pulpwood particles and action is being taken to provide the necessary information.

Altogether, says Mr. Stutchbury, the outlook for the development of new industries in the province in the near future, is very promising.

605 ENROL FOR NORMAL COURSE

While there is a slight decline in the number of students entered for the normal course this year, the department of education states that it will be in the best interests of the teachers at the schools and the students that the number is below that of last year.

This year at Calgary there will be 360 students, and at Camrose, 245, which is the capacity number that can be handled with comfort at either centre. Last year both schools were overcrowded, and in consequence there was a considerable amount of dissatisfaction on the part of both teachers and students.

TAG DAY FOR CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

The provincial Red Cross association is making an appeal for funds into his own recognition in the sum of \$500, for a term of one year. D. P. McLeod of Leduc for the accused.

Mr. William Dickson, of Calgary, is in Wetaskiwin for a few days in connection with the campaign here. It is not proposed to have a campaign of the ordinary kind, but contribution boxes are being left in various business places and it is hoped that the response will be liberal.

There will be a Tag Day on Saturday, October 18th, for the benefit of the Children's Hospital at Calgary, and the campaign for that day will be in charge of the ladies of the local Red Cross Society.

WEDDINGS

MIQUELON — DEAR

A quiet wedding took place at Cadogan, Alberta, on the 14th inst. when Rose Beatrice, daughter of Mr. George W. Dear, recently from Southsea, Portsmouth, England, became the bride of Gerald J., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Miquelon, of near Wetaskiwin. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Louis. The witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. W. Chadwick, sister and brother-in-law of the bride. They will make their home in Edmonton. The many Wetaskiwin friends of Mr. Miquelon join in extending the heartiest congratulations.

TOURISTS BUY 50% OF LIQUOR FROM VENDORS

That at least fifty per cent of the liquor sold by the government vendors in the larger centres of the province has been to the tourist trade this summer is the assertion of officials of the Alberta liquor board in reviewing the business in the liquor trade since the opening of the vendor stores last spring. It is admitted that the local demand has been immensely smaller than was anticipated when the act came into force and if it was thought some months ago that the public appetite would have been so light there is no doubt that the purchase of supplies by the board would have been much smaller.

The stores in Calgary, Lethbridge, and Edmonton have received larger orders from tourist parties who are spending some time in the province and it is said that several hunting parties going into the north have been the biggest customers of the year at the Edmonton store. While the first public report of the financial results of the government liquor business will be submitted to the legislature at the session early in the new year, it is pointed out by the board officials that this will not be complete, as it will require a full year to reach the final decision on how the business is running out from the standpoint of a revenue producer. The board year will end early in May of 1925. Until that date is reached it is improbable that there will be any drastic changes in the present method of administration or a curtailment of the stores now in operation.

SUPREME CRIMINAL COURT HELD HERE

The regular sittings of the supreme criminal court was held here this week starting Monday morning with His Lordship Mr. Justice McCarthy presiding. There were no jury cases. The following cases were disposed of:

Rev. vs. Enoch Ervin, charged with theft of goods under sealure. Stay of proceedings entered by the Crown.

Rev. vs. W. J. Bogart—Charged with theft of hay. It appeared that the hay in question was taken by the accused under legal advice given by his former solicitor, and the case was accordingly not pressed by the Crown. J. B. Howatt, K.C., appeared for the accused.

Rev. vs. M. C. Flagg—Charged with uttering forged document. Stay of proceedings entered by the Crown.

Rev. vs. Wm. Armit—Charged with seduction. Stay of proceedings entered by the Crown.

Rev. vs. Peter Dobko—Charged with theft of grain under sealure in the district of Leduc. Accused entered a plea of guilty, and was sentenced to six months imprisonment, sentence being suspended on accused entering into his own recognisance in the sum of \$500, for a term of one year. D. P. McLeod of Leduc for the accused.

Rev. vs. H. B. Kirk—Charged with theft of six pigs under sealure, in the Leduc district. The judge found that the seizure was of a doubtful validity and acquitted the accused. N. C. Wilson for the accused.

Rev. vs. James Parsons — Charged with theft of harness. Accused was found guilty after a trial lasting for about one day and sentenced to imprisonment for six months in the provincial jail. Alexander Knox for the accused.

W. H. Odell, K.C., acted as Crown Prosecutor.

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Civic Holiday

HIS WORSHIP, MAYOR MONTGOMERY, HAS PROCLAIMED WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1ST, AS CIVIC HOLIDAY. ALL PLACES OF BUSINESS, THEREFORE, WILL BE CLOSED THAT DAY.

Good Crop Yields

As the threshing progresses, we learn of some very good yields of grain in the Wetaskiwin district. The first of the week, T. Malmas brought in a load of new wheat which threshed 45 bushels to the acre. There were a few green kernels in the sample and it was graded No. 2. It was of the Marquis variety. How many can beat this yield this season?

Chas. P. Cummings, of Brightview, brought in two samples of wheat last week. The Marquis went 30 bushels to the acre and graded No. 1 Northern, while the Red went 20 bushels and graded No. 2. The crop was threshed on Sept. 15th.

WHEAT GRADING HIGH AND ALSO YIELDING WELL

Winnipeg, Sept. 23.—Excellent harvest weather the first part of the week enabled rapid advancement of all the farm work, according to the weekly crop report of the agricultural department of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Heavy rains towards the latter end of the week, however, necessitated a most entire suspension of operations throughout the west. Weather at the present is more settled. Wheat cutting is practically completed and the coarser grains are just approaching that stage. Comparatively little threshing has been accomplished so far, but returns generally exceeding early expectations. Some districts where crops were late, farmers fear frost, cut wheat too green, which will, of course, hurt the sample. Large amounts of summer fallow are ready for next year, this work being generally accomplished under satisfactory soil conditions. Except for some local showers, the harvest season is satisfactory and the available supply is adequate for the demand.

Manitoba—Harvest operations made good headway until retarded by the rains during latter portion of week. Wheat cutting about completed, and coarse grains nearly to ninety five per cent. Extent of the harvest varies considerably, some southern districts reporting this work completed and others just starting. Average for province probably around ten to fifteen per cent. Out-turns to date show yields fully up to earlier expectations and grades generally high. The frosts of August 2 to 15 have taken a heavy toll on crops from Birch to Brandon, damage to which is now being revealed and prospects which at that time looked promising for thirty to thirty-five bushels have been cut in half.

Saskatchewan—Though interrupted during the latter part of the week by rain, harvesting in general has made good progress and cutting throughout the province is about completed. Wheat that has been threshed is yielding fully up to expectations and in districts where the harvest is generally high in the season, though low in yield, are on the whole satisfactory.

As an instance, in the Yorkton area one farmer threshed 70 acres which yielded only 5 bushels to the acre but graded No. 1 Northern. Many smaller cases are recorded. About ten per cent of threshing is completed. The crop is averaging up fairly well and it is of good quality. Considerable late oats are being cut green in fear of frost damage. The flax crop is looking well but is very late.

Alberta—Weather first three days of the week was of all satisfactory progress of harvesting recorded and the balance of the week not been wet, cutting of all grains would have been completed. As it is, central and southern districts report all grains cut and more northerly sections 90 to 95 per cent. The Red Deer sub-division, which is unusually late, only 30 per cent of cutting is completed. 15 per cent of the threshing is finished to date. Wheat on the whole is yielding well and grading high, even in some districts where yields are

OBITUARY

MRS. WM. SCHAEFER

There passed away at her home near Pigeon Lake, on Monday last, Lillie Harriet, beloved wife of Wm. Schaefer, at the age of thirty-nine years and six months. Deceased contracted typhoid fever and the disease became so deeply rooted that it could not be checked. The late Mrs. Schaefer was born in England, and had resided in the community about fourteen years. She leaves a husband and daughter to mourn her loss. The funeral took place from Moore's Undertaking Parlor Tuesday afternoon, service being conducted by Rev. A. L. Elliott. The interment took place in the Wetaskiwin cemetery.

DRUMHELLER IS OPTIMISTIC OVER STRIKE SETTLEMENT

Drumheller, Sept. 22.—Drumheller is looking hopeful for a settlement of the joint conference between the Western Canada Coal Operators' association and the United Mine Workers of America, being held by the minister of labor, James Murrell, at Calgary, on Thursday next, September 25. Both the operators' and miners' representatives have accepted Mr. Murrell's invitation, and, locally, it is most sincerely hoped that Mr. Murrell's second mission to the west will be successful in attaining its object.

There has been a widespread demand in almost every part of the west that this strike, which began April 1, 1924, be settled, and it is no doubt due to instant pressure that the Dominion government has dispatched Mr. Murrell to the scene again, and with public opinion behind him it is very probable that he will remain until a settlement is reached.

The majority of the miners are optimistic that the strike will be settled on group on Main Street Saturday offering to give another much smaller bunch long odds that the strike will be settled by Mr. Murrell. Many are willing to bet that all mines in the Drumheller Valley will be going full blast by Oct. 1.

Meanwhile both parties officially declare "No surrender!" but never since the strike started has there been such a confident feeling that the end of the trouble is in immediate sight.

SLOT MACHINES PASS INTO HISTORY

Slot machines are due to pass out of use on the first day of October, when the amendment to the criminal code passed at the last session of the dominion parliament comes into force.

Attorney General Brownlee has been asked by some of the operators of these machines for an extension of time, but his answer is that has much as the amendment to the criminal code is declared to be effective on the first of next month he has no jurisdiction to grant any extension, even if he desired to do so.

The attorney general points out also that ample warning has been given during the past year to the operators of vending or slot machines, and says that the new legislation which by federal act declares them to be games of chance within the meaning of the criminal code, will be strictly enforced after the date indicated.

very light. Some localities report heavy dockage as the result of prevalence of weeds. Considerable of the late crop is being cut green for feed. E.D. & B.C. Ry.—All work delayed during the latter part of the week by rain; weather at present favorable and harvesting now being generally resumed. 75 to 95 per cent of cutting done, and 10 to 15 per cent of threshing. Wheat yields running 15 to 20 bushels to the acre, grading 1 and 2 northern.

British Columbia—Hot dry weather continued during the week with exception of few light local showers. All varieties of apples are fairly two weeks earlier than usual. Westlows nearly finished and McIntosh Reds arriving in volume and Jonathan and other varieties coming in. Plums, early apples, pears and crabs have practically all been shipped. A fair amount of fall grain seeded and coming up well. Ensilage corn now being cut is fairly good. Potatoes on the whole are fairly light crop, fair in quality.

COUNCIL DISPOSED OF MORE PROPERTY TUESDAY NIGHT

Ratepayers on East Side of Railway Track Complain. Dog Licenses to be Collected. Legal Action to be Taken for Collection of Taxes. Scales and Fire Hall Repaired. Civic Holiday is Proclaimed.

The regular meeting of the city council was held on Tuesday evening with all the members in attendance except Ald. Chandler.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The offer of Jas. Scott of \$25.00 for lots adjoining his property was accepted.

A petition signed by a number of citizens asking the mayor to proclaim Wednesday, October 1st, a civic holiday was read. The request of the

NEW WHEAT CROP IS GRADING HIGH

Winnipeg, Sept. 24.—Showing excellent quality, 65 per cent of the wheat loaded in Canadian Pacific cars and inspected by dominion officials since August 1, the commencement of the crop year, has been certified "contract grade" (No. 3 Northern or better), according to figures obtained from the transportation department of the company on Monday. Wheat inspections totalled 63 per cent of all grains. In all 5,400 cars were examined, 3,411 of these being wheat and the remainder coarse grains.

By grades it was shown there had been 1,152 cars labelled No. 1 Northern, 568 cars No. 2 and 496 cars No. 3. The largest inspections reported for any one point were those at Calgary with 408 cars, while Medicine Hat had 340 and Moose Jaw 141.

Corresponding figures for the previous season were not announced by the department, the statement being made that the 1924 harvest was so low that practical comparisons could not be made.

As a result of two days practically continuous rain throughout the west, grain marketings in districts served by the Canadian Pacific, Saturday, showed a decrease of some 400,000 bushels. In Manitoba there were 128,442 bushels to leave the hands of farmers, in Saskatchewan 633,912 bushels, and in Alberta, 230,429 bushels, aggregating 1,292,783 bushels for the prairies.

Contrasted against the decrease in marketings, loadings Saturday were the record for the season, there having been 332 cars for the west comprising 279 cars Manitoba, 363 cars Saskatchewan and 155 Alberta.

SILVER FOX FARMING

W. P. H. Montgomery, who is the only member of the Kiwanis Club in the world that qualified for membership to this club under the business head of Silver Fox Farmer, has been asked by the local club to give an address at their luncheon next Tuesday evening on the early history, progress and the present day conditions of this enterprise, and also if this new business has gradually reached stabilization as a solid, permanent commercial enterprise. It is a question to those not familiar with this business, as to whether or not the raising of silver foxes is really a business, a fad or pastime; should or should it not be recognized as a business qualification by the Kiwanis club as a high standard of business qualification in order to qualify as a Kiwanian?

The Montgomery Brothers Silver Fox Company are very anxious to have every member of the club visit their fox farm before next Tuesday in order that they may see the foxes in their enclosures, and inspect the highly, splendid condition of these animals in captivity, and all members are asked to apply at the office when they will be taken and shown through their ranch. For those that cannot go, Montgomery Brothers Ltd. will have a silver fox on display on Tuesday, September 30th, in the show window of their store. It will be remembered that last year this firm produced the finest silver fox sold in the world, and which was sold last winter in London, England, by C. M. Lamson & Co., who are known as one of the oldest and most reliable raw fur brokers in existence today.

Meeting adjourned.

petitioners was granted and His Worship declared October 1st a civic holiday.

The request of Mr. John Ward for electric light connection was granted. It was pointed out that there was no provision in bylaws preventing the sale of cigarettes to juveniles. The matter was referred to the city solicitor.

The secretary treasurer submitted a list of uncollectable water arrears to be charged to property owners and collected as taxes.

The finance committee recommended payment of the following accounts, General, \$208.72; Electric light, \$9.67; Waterworks, \$6.91; Supplementary, \$485.44.

The finance committee recommended that the city solicitor be instructed, to sue for arrears of all taxes, excepting against real estate. The recommendation carried.

The police committee reported that the scales and fire hall had been repaired, and recommended that the interior of the weigh scales building be painted. The report was received and adopted.

An account of \$25.00 for purchase of a revolver for use of police department was passed for payment.

Mrs. Knott of St. Hubert offered \$735.00 for a house and five blocks in southern portion of city, payment to be part cash, and balance in two yearly payments. The offer was accepted.

The police committee was empowered to purchase a new mattress for tonmaster's room at fire hall, and to repaint the interior of the room.

The Public Utilities Commission were agreeing to withdraw Rosedale subdivision, amounting to 68 acres, from city and reverting to farm land. This property has been sold to J. G. Cornell. The matter was referred to the mayor to be looked into.

The public property committee was empowered to have weeds and long grass cut in the cemetery.

The matter of dog licenses was discussed, and the chief of police will be instructed to collect from all those who have not already paid licenses this year.

A quotation for supply of coal was referred to the committee. A sample car will be purchased.

Ald. English informed council that a complaint had been made to the effect that those living on east side of track were not getting their share of work on streets. Ald. English, chairman of the public works committee, stated that the main streets were being fixed up and the streets and sidewalks on the east side would be fixed up in good time.

Bylaw No. 491, appointing Frank Klingzett chief of police for Wetaskiwin, at a salary of \$100.00 per month, was read three times and finally passed.

Meeting adjourned.

SENATOR COTE DIES IN QUEBEC

Quebec, Sept. 23.—The death occurred at Les Eboulements, a few miles from this city, tonight, of Senator Jean Leon Cote, former provincial secretary of Alberta, at the age of 67 years.

From 1924 to 1926 he was connected with the department of the Interior at Ottawa. He was a member of the staff on the Alaska boundary survey commission during the summers of 1933 to 1935.

From 1930 to 1934 he was engaged in legal surveying in Dawson City, Yukon Territory, while he was also engaged in government survey work in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. In 1904 Senator Cote moved to Edmonton and was elected to the Alberta legislature in 1905, representing the constituency of Athabasca, while in 1912 and 1914 he was elected for the riding of Grande Prairie.

He was appointed provincial secretary for Alberta on September 5, 1915, and was summoned to the Senate at Ottawa in August last.

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OUR TRIP TO EUROPE

July 5th was set aside as the second day to visit Wembley Exhibition, but not many of the party followed out the program, as "doing the shops" was preferred. The principal items of course are, Piccadilly, Biggin, Oxford, Bond and the Strand. To the shopper these are a great fascination.

Lord Beaverbrook's Dinner

The big event of the day was the dinner given by the light lion, Lord and Lady Beaverbrook at Queen's Hall. There were about five hundred guests, and it was really a splendid affair. At Mrs. French's table were Hon. Tim Healy, governor general of the Irish Free State, who sat at her right; Sir Dudley Bala, high commissioner for Bombay; Earl of Derby, Countess of Winton, Lady Bala and others; while the editor had the honor and pleasure of sitting between Madam David Lloyd George on the right, and Mrs. Alexander, wife of the commissioner in charge of the Australian Exhibit at Wembley on the left. We were entertained with war and music by a Russian quartet, singing in their native language, and various other entertainers. The principal part of the evening's entertainment was the address of welcome to the Canadian editors by Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, who in his remarks, dwelt at some length upon the war and Canada's part in it. His message to us as editors of weekly newspapers was clear and sincere. We must go back to our native land and there labor more diligently than ever to make the British Empire the greatest democracy the world has ever known, by solving all classes and races—not into a Protestant nation, nor into an Anglo-Saxon nation, but into a British nation. At the conclusion of the dinner a social hour was spent in dancing. To give our readers some idea of the princely style of the dinner, we were informed that our host and hostess about £1500 or £1500.

Warwick Castle

Our visit to London being over, we took the train next morning for Leamington, where we were taken by motor coaches to inspect several places of interest. The first was Warwick Castle, which was found to be a very fine old place, built originally for military purposes in 1060, during the reign of James I. The walls are ten feet thick in places, and in the great hall leads from the roof to the river. There are some very interesting pieces of armor, among them a helmet worn by Cromwell. About this time chemists were making materials which would go through the armor so that the soldiers began to discard the armor from the legs and arms, giving them more freedom and adding greater thickness to the armor of the breast. After it was discovered that even this thickness could be pierced, armor became practically useless. However, they still wore a steel collar to remind them of former days, and finally the steel collar disappeared, leaving only a band of iron on the uniform, which gave us the idea to wear. Thus we have the connecting link between the old and the new order of things.

The state bedroom of Queen Anne's room is so called because at her wish her furniture was brought from Windsor Castle and presented to the king. The room is a very fine old room, in an immense old room made of metal used in the 15th century for cooking meals for the troops. In the green house is the world-famous Warwick vase. It stands five and one-half feet high. It was recovered from the bed of a lake near Ftwil and considered to be the work of a Greek artist of the 4th century B.C. It is composed of white marble. We next visited Beauchamp Chapel, a Norman piece of architecture. In the crypt is an ancient ducking stool, used in those days as a cure for insolence. One of the members of the men of our party examined it carefully with the object of getting the pattern!

Stratford-on-Avon

On leaving Warwick we visited Stratford-on-Avon, the home of Shakespeare. We saw the house of his birth, his gardens and scene of his new place, as well as Anne Hathaway's cottage, almost perfectly preserved, where he courted and won Anne for his wife. This place is intensely interesting. In the kitchen is to be found the ancient brick oven on the side of the fireplace, with its heavy wooden door. The skillet is there and the paddle for putting bread in and removing it from the oven. There is also a leather bottle and a warning pan. In the living room is the old fire place where William sat when he came to see Anne. It is a roomy farm house and there

is every evidence that the Hathaway family were well-to-do people. In the living room is a rack of dishes. There is a specimen of the wooden trencher, one side was used for food, the other side was turned over and the other side used for dessert. When the trencher was turned the table top was also turned, hence came the saying "turning the tables." There were also pewter plates and earthenware plates, showing three kinds of dishes used in a period extending over four centuries.

Upstairs in the parents' bedroom was a much-carved bedstead, also several joint stools. Anne's bed was covered with linden rushes, and the curtains and valance around the bed were of linen and wool (woolsey line). The only light they used was rushes stuck into holders. Sometimes to give a better light these were doubled and the two ends lit, candle came the saying "burning the candle at both ends."

After leaving the cottage we visited the grammar school which Shakespeare attended for seven years. It is still in use, and is indeed very primitive, with its high rough plank desks, small windows, heavy crudely-hewn timbers for supports, and heavy doors with fastenings used in these days.

We also went to the church, where he is buried, and on the slab which marks his grave are these words: "Good friend, for Jesus' sake forbear, To dig the dust enclosed here; Blest be the man that spares these bones."

We also went to the Memorial Theatre erected to his memory. Shakespeare's plays have been enacted here for many years. It is still used, and in the halls are many pictures of actors and playwrights, and many Shakespeare relics.

Kenilworth Castle

Leaving Stratford-on-Avon, we passed a few minutes to view the ruins of Kenilworth Castle, once the scene of much grandeur and magnificence, during the reign of Queen Elizabeth. It is now crumbling and overgrown with ivy, and the towers are all that remain.

We returned to Leamington for the evening and attended the dinner and reception given by the mayor and corporation of that city. The Staffordshire and Warwickshire Newspaper Society and the Leamington Chamber of Commerce were joint hosts on this occasion, and a delightful time was spent.

Torquay

On Thursday, after an inspection of the famous medical baths and gardens at Leamington, we took the train for Torquay. The trip was a lovely section of country with here and there glimpses of the blue sea. We passed through Exeter and Exmouth on the river Exe, and thought they were delightful spots, but we were all most enthusiastic over Torquay. When we reached our hotel, the Grand, we found that our window opened on a balcony which gave us the most glorious view of the sea. The air was clear and like a tonic the day we arrived, though we were informed that humid atmosphere more often prevails. Below lay smooth lawns and tennis courts, beyond that the picturesque red cliffs, against the blue sea. There is a very pretty rocky walk along to the village, bordered by yucca and palm trees. These sub-tropical trees remind one of California, and suggest a climate which would appeal to most people all the year round. In the evening a reception and ball was given in the town hall. The mayor and his wife, and other members of the reception committees were very congenial and we had a most enjoyable time during our sojourn in the town. The ball at Torquay stands out as one of the very best during the entire trip.

Torquay is both a summer and a winter resort and has about a quarter of a million tourists every year. To attract these, beautiful golf courses, tennis courts, bowling greens open to the use of the public without charge, and the beautiful walks have been laid out by the town authorities. It is to be a real treat.

After the luncheon we visited Exeter Cathedral, which is the finest we saw in England. Three different cathedrals have stood on this ground. First the old Saxon Cathedral, built in 1067; next the Norman in 1130; and the last reconstruction which was finished in 1259. One fine feature is the unbroken roof. The vaulting is of exquisite beauty. Nowhere is there a cathedral of greater originality, of more complete harmony, of more obvious and striking unity. The organ was installed in 1662. The Bishop's throne built in 1715 is a lovely bit of carving. No nails fasten it together,

old churches and towers. At one place (Stoke Gabriel) we saw a very old church shaded by an ancient yew tree. The church dates back to the year 300, and the tree is over 1000 years old.

At one place along the river Dart we saw a house where we were told Sir Walter Raleigh lived at one time, and where he first smoked tobacco. It was on this occasion that his first meeting, according to the story, took place, when he was on his way over him, thinking he was on fire. Arriving at Totnes we took the train back to Torquay, where we had lunch with the mayor in the town hall. It was an enjoyable occasion, because the hospitality was splendid and the people we met were so earnestly and sincerely glad to welcome us.

During the morning the Atlantic liner under command of Sir John D. Hobbie, had steamed into Torquay, and when we returned from the drive we were greeted with a magnificent sight, as the eighty vessels were anchored at intervals over the entire harbor. It was the same fleet we saw at Weymouth, but on this occasion our party were privileged to accept the invitation to make a visit of inspection of the battle-ship Revenge, which was under the command of Captain Stevenson. Ever since the days of the Spanish war, when Sir Richard Greaves performed his heroic feat with the Revenge, the British fleet has perpetuated that name.

The Revenge is a ship about the size of the Queen Elizabeth, flag ship of the fleet. She carries a crew of nearly one thousand men, has eight 15-inch guns, and boasts of having taken a glorious part in the battle of Jutland. We were taken to see all parts of the great vessel, from the stockade—where eighty stokers are employed to keep up steam continuously—to the high bridge where the big guns are directed with the aid of range finders and flood electrically. We were greatly interested in noting the anti-aircraft guns, and all the equipment for loading the range finders. The 15-inch guns can send a shell weighing 1920 pounds (almost a ton) a distance of over twenty miles. We were shown a practical demonstration of the workings of one of the big guns. There are eight gun turrets, four at the front and four at the rear of the ship. One of the guns was operated for us by the crew, and every movement was shown except the firing. Each turret can be turned so that the gun will point in any desired direction, and the great gun, weighing ninety-seven tons, can be raised or lowered to any range. Each gun and turret, with all the accompanying machinery, weighs eight hundred tons. The speed with which the one-ton shell is raised from below, rammed into the gun, the breech closed and the gun fired was marvellous—as each gun was ready to shoot in a matter of seconds. We were impressed with the clean, healthy-looking appearance and the physics of the entire crew, and we now realize that it is men of the finest caliber that make British military strength of the seas. After dark the strong penetrating searchlights of the different vessels flashed messages across the sky, the long rays making a very pretty and impressive spectacle.

Exeter

On July 12th we motored from Torquay to Exeter. We were very much interested in this town, as Exeter, our native town, derives its name from Exeter, England. We were received at the Guild Hall by the mayor in his regalia of office and guarded by two yeomen in their queer dress and carrying maces. The town clerk in conversation with us, recalled the occasion when the two Exeters exchanged greetings, and showed us the flag sent by the people of Exeter. After the mayor extended his heartiest welcome, the town clerk, in his wig and gown, told us something of the history of the town. Exeter is very old, and remains of the Norman architecture are still to be seen. Around the walls of the Guild Hall are some ancient crests of families. From the Guild Hall we were taken to a splendid luncheon given by the members of the South-Western Federation of Newspaper Owners. The famous Devonshire cream and eyer were not overlooked, and these proved to be a real treat.

After the luncheon we visited Exeter Cathedral, which is the finest we saw in England. Three different cathedrals have stood on this ground. First the old Saxon Cathedral, built in 1067; next the Norman in 1130; and the last reconstruction which was finished in 1259. One fine feature is the unbroken roof. The vaulting is of exquisite beauty. Nowhere is there a cathedral of greater originality, of more complete harmony, of more obvious and striking unity. The organ was installed in 1662. The Bishop's throne built in 1715 is a lovely bit of carving. No nails fasten it together,



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each piece just fits perfectly into the other. Not much of the old glass remains, there is one very old and beautiful window, however, which escaped injury at the hands of the Reformers and Puritans. An altar cross on the high altar is worthy of notice, as it contains diamonds to the value of £5000. The sodala at the side of the altar is a fine piece of sculpture. There are many tombs, but two especially old in Lady Chapel. The oldest is about 1100, and is supposed to be the tomb of Leofric, first Bishop of Exeter.

The astronomical clock erected in 1314 deserves mention. It strikes one of the largest bells in England—Great Peter in the cathedral tower. Passing out of the cathedral we went up to the war memorial, judged to be one of the finest modern works of art in statuary in the country. It is surrounded by a bronze figure of Victory, and has four bronze statues representing "The Sailor," "The Soldier," "The Nurse" and "The Prisoner of War."

At Bath

But we had to hurry away to take our train for Bath, where we arrived in the evening and were welcomed with the accustomed hospitality. Next morning we took a motor bus drive around the city and out into the country, passing some interesting and historic spots. Several hills marked the place where the ancient Druids worshipped, and all the old roads and paths seemed to lead that way. We went over a funny old bridge, with its steps on each side of it, and stopped for a few minutes at The George Inn, which received its title in 1397. It was a very quaint old place, with its Gothic doorway, its bay windows and its old dovecot. The upper storey was used as a wool market, when the broadcloth industry was the chief industry of the surrounding country. The most historical importance is attached to the room occupied by the Duke of Monmouth shortly before the battle of Sedgemoor, when an attempt was made to shoot him as he stood at a window. The battle was the last to be fought on English soil. We returned to our hotel, the Grand Pump Room, which, by the way, was the original White Hart where Pickwick was supposed to have stayed.

After luncheon as guests of the Hot and Mineral Baths committee, we visited Bath Abbey, a beautiful old church with a perfect example of a fan-vaulted roof. The front is quite unique, finished to represent the dream of the man who restored the Abbey. On either side of the main entrance is a statue carved in stone, supposed to be the two Exeters.

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posedly ascending into Heaven, with angels ascending the stairs. The apostles are standing on each side of the stairs.

Next we went on a tour of inspection of the Baths, of which the old Roman baths were of greatest interest to us. We seemed to be delving further back into history every day! The old Roman baths were made in A.D., used for three hundred years and then filled in and built upon, so that twelve hundred years passed before they were discovered. Nothing was done to them until the 19th century, when they were restored to their present condition. Some of the old lead piping is still there. It carried the cold water in to a place where in those days the Roman taking his bath used to stand on a stone step in the hot water, letting the cold water pour down his back. Some of the old tile used in those days was on display, as well as parts of columns, and a great many old pieces of stone, bearing carving of various descriptions. One is a flat piece with the head of Medusa carved in the centre, the hair wound with snakes.

After tea served on the balcony by the mayor and mayress we were given a special view of the house where General Wolfe lived at the time he was called upon to take charge of the British troops which eventually stormed and captured Quebec, or taking a plunge in the swimming baths. We chose the latter, and found the water very fresh and invigorating. In the evening we attended Divine service in the Abbey, and were of the

opinion that the service was very high church. It was noticed, though, that the collection was composed mostly of pennies.

(To be continued)

IT WAS A GOOD IDEA

"One of the funniest remarks I remember hearing," a lady said the other day, "was made by a man in the circle of a theatre I was visiting."

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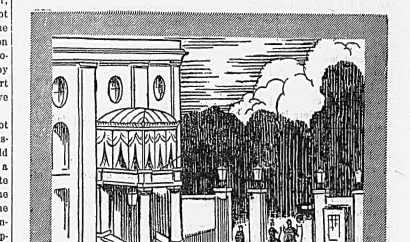
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CONFERENCE DRAWS A BIG ATTENDANCE

Calgary, Sept. 19.—Calgary will be the place of the Liberal convention, which will be held on November 27. The conference has been decided by vote at the meeting on Friday. Three places were nominated for the convention, Edmonton, Banff and Calgary, but Calgary was declared to be successful after the voting took place.

That the conference was a pronounced success was the unanimous opinion of everyone who attended, and the members of the legislature who were there were very much elated at the prospects of the Liberal cause, as a result of the conference. They feel assured that they will be joined in the legislature by a large number of Liberal members after the next provincial election and there is no doubt that the conference was a success in every way.

Most of the Liberal members of the legislature were present and notable among them was A. A. Groulx, the victor at Groulx, who was enthusiastically received by the meeting. Another outstanding feature was the presence at the meeting of T. C. Milne, M.L.A., for Claresholm, who was elected as a supporter of the Greenfield government, but who crossed the floor of the house some time ago and has been sitting as an independent member of the legislature. The fact that Mr. Milne was one of the delegates at the conference is very significant, and would be taken to mean that he intends to support the Liberal party from now on.

After the business of the conference was concluded, several speeches were made, the speakers being Mr. Nollie McClung, C. R. Mitchell, W. M. Davidson, and W. A. Buchanan. These speeches were listened to with every attention, and carried messages of the cause of Liberalism to the meeting.

In the evening the Calgary members and delegates entertained the visiting members and delegates at a most enjoyable dinner in the hall room of the Pullman hotel and most of those who had attended were present at the dinner. Several, however, left the city in the evening for their homes, and after the conference concluded at six o'clock, the meeting broke up.

The success of the conference is a prediction of a like success for the coming convention to be held in Calgary on November 27, and every Liberal who was here at the conference is anticipating that the convention will be unprecedented in the annals of Liberalism in western Canada. Liberalism is being revived with a wonderful amount of spirit and enthusiasm.

TRIAL SHIPMENT ALBERTA CATTLE SENT TO JAPAN

Fifty-eight head of Alberta beef cattle left Edmonton on Saturday for the Japanese market. The department of agriculture is shipping them on an order from the Yokohama firm to which the first experimental shipment was consigned, and they will sail from Vancouver on the merchant marine steamer Canadian Spinner on September 25.

The animals for the shipment have been purchased at the Edmonton stockyards and are of about the same grade as those shipped before, averaging 1,200 pounds in weight. The full amount of purchase and shipping costs have been sent in advance by the Japanese firm, thus relieving the government of any responsibility or risk in the matter.

By arrangement with the steamship companies a reduced freight rate has been secured for trans-Pacific shipment of cattle, and the shipment now going forward will be billed at about one-half of the rates paid on the first trial shipment.

DEMAND FOR HOMESTEADS

There continues to be a brisk demand for homesteads in northern Alberta. During a recent week 20 were filed on at the Edmonton, Alberta, office. Newcomers are from many lands, but Americans predominate.

Conference of Women's Institutes

The Women's Institutes of the Wetaskiwin constituency, comprised of the Millet, Angus Ridge, and Wetaskiwin branches, held a most successful conference in the Parish Hall, Wetaskiwin, on Wednesday, Sept. 17th, between eighty and ninety women attending.

Mrs. H. J. Montgomery, constituency convener, occupied the chair, with Mrs. Huyck, district director, in attendance. The conference opened at 10 o'clock with the singing of "O Canada" followed by the W.I. creed, and community singing.

After the minutes of the previous conference, and the financial statement had been adopted, the reports of the three institutes comprised in the constituency, were given, by their respective secretaries.

Millet reported their objective as being the paying for their community hall and rest room. "The community hall," read Mrs. Marr, the secretary, "is a reality and the rest room a bright dream of the near future." The hall is opened each day for the convenience of women wishing to use it, and travellers passing through are cordially invited to make use of it. The hall is rented for dances, card parties, etc., at a nominal figure, and when free of debt will be rented free of charge. A committee had been appointed to interview the village council to see what could be done about remitting the taxes but the village fathers cited rules laid down by the department, proving this to be impossible.

Mrs. Huyck's address was "Go back and ask for a donation. There is no law to prevent their giving you that." The institute reported twenty-six enthusiastic, resourceful members.

Mrs. A. J. Rix, secretary for Angus Ridge, reported that under Canadianization and National Events, this branch had taken up Empire Day observance in the schools. Invitations to every new woman in the district to join the institute had been extended, and new families visited. Papers had been given on Dressmaking, Home Decoration and Food Facts we Should Know. A demonstration of supper dishes and salads had been given by a government demonstrator. This institute entertained the convener of the Wetaskiwin Institute the previous week and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent by all present.

Mrs. Liveridge, secretary of the Wetaskiwin Institute, reported the purchase of a bible, electric reading lamp, door plate, and cover for mail room for the W.I. ward of the local hospital. A cleanup day was declared and all children of the city were treated to a free matinee. Children living in the cleanest blocks were given a lawn party at the home of Mrs. H. J. Montgomery as a special treat. A skating rink was operated during the winter for the use of the smaller children, on the grounds levelled by the W.I. for use as a tennis court. \$80.00 was loaned to the recreation club to assist them in getting the public skating rink in shape. 36 chairs, a table, blocks and kitchen utensils were bought for use in the new W.I. rooms on Pearce street. A visiting committee is appointed each month. The membership at present is 38, the average attendance at the meetings being 19. This institute co-operated with the I.O.G.E. and met a party of 120 Russian refugees and served breakfast to them in their special train, afterwards assisting them into cars provided by citizens of Wetaskiwin who transported them to their settlement near Pigeon Lake. Prizes were offered at the Agricultural Fair for canned vegetables. On Thursday, Sept. 17th, 28 members chartered a truck and visited the Angus Ridge Institute. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent and every one declared this the event of the year.

Community singing was here enjoyed, after which the reports of the conveners of standing committees were given.

Mrs. Poole, convener on legislation, gave a paper on important measures passed at the last session of the legislature, among those discussed being The Slot Machine Act, "The Motor Vehicles Act," stating the minimum age for driving a motor vehicle as being 16 years; "Regulations Pertaining to Essences, Extracts, Etc.," "The Intoxicated Person" and "Illegitimate Children" were also given.

Mrs. Mellett, convener of Immigration, had done all in her power to assist newcomers, taking the utmost pains in searching out anyone, who, she had been informed, was a stranger. She had found it very difficult, she stated, to get information on this subject.

Mrs. Arnold, convener of Canadianization of National Events, stated that the provincial convener had requested that special attention be given to 1. "A Flag and Flagpole for every school"; 2. "Observance of Empire

Day"; 3. An invitation to every newcomer to join the W.I.

Mrs. McLean, convener of Education and Better Schools, reported educational programs by the different institutes. Educational addresses were given, among these being one by a teacher from Honolulu, another by Rev. G. H. Villot on World Peace. She advised getting behind the teachers.

Mrs. Grant, convener of agriculture, reported the planting of trees by different districts. Some institutes had declared cleanup days, some had taken up gardening. She advised the keeping of bees, planting of good gardens, and canning of vegetables.

"The question was asked whether the keeping of bees was profitable, and one woman told those present that she had been very successful for a few years back, but on account of the dry weather this year, the results had not been nearly so good."

Mrs. Rodell, convener of Child Welfare and Public Health, reported medical inspection of the schools once more. Adenoids and infected tonsils she said are the predominant troubles in children, and when these are found the trouble is reported to the parents. During the time of the agricultural fair in Wetaskiwin, the institute held a baby clinic, nine children being examined.

One woman present said it was owing to this clinic that she had been persuaded to take her daughter to a doctor. An operation was found necessary and her tonsils and adenoids have since been removed.

Mrs. West, convener of Household Economics, stressed the value of milk as a food, stating that if enough milk is taken, little or no meat is required.

The afternoon session opened with community singing, followed by an address of welcome by Mrs. A. R. Dickson, president of the Wetaskiwin Institute.

In welcoming the guests, Mrs. Dickson spoke of the aims of the Women's Institute as being embraced in the W.I. motto: "For Home and Country."

At the close of the address, a cordial invitation was extended to the guests to remain and partake of the refreshments provided by the members of the Wetaskiwin W.I.

Mrs. Ferguson, president of the Angus Ridge W.I., replied most suitably to the address of welcome. She said in part: "It was with the thought of the uplift of womanhood and the good which might come out of it, that this organization was first started." She thanked the Wetaskiwin ladies for their kindly welcome, stating that after a meeting such as this, women go home cheered, and "We must be cheered in order to keep up the home," said she. Our motto is for "Home and Country" and the W.I. is doing a great deal for the improvement of the home and the upbuilding of character.

It has been said that the W.I. can be likened to a chain and each one of us a link in the chain, to bind the future generations together, that they may realize how much lies in their hands in this wonderful country to be moulded into what may become the fairest land on earth.

There have been things spoken here today that help us feel we are a power.

We can instill in the rising generation those qualities that will help uphold the laws where "Right is Right."

There is work for each of us to do. Let us unite to do it.

Mrs. Huyck, district director, gave a most interesting and helpful address.

Her advice was, "Whatever you do, stay by the W.I. It is the best and



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She spoke of the Institute as a medium through which the government carries on its educational campaign.

Rules tending toward success were given as follows:—

1. Something definite for which to work.
2. Diversified programs.
3. Have some entertaining number at each meeting.
4. Do not allow personal matters to creep into the meeting.
5. Be on time.
6. After electing your officers, back them.
7. Share the responsibilities.

She said, "Give to the world the best that you have, and the best will come back to you."

Lastly Mrs. Huyck stressed the slogan "World Peace!"

The election of officers resulted as follows:—

Constituency convener—Mrs. H. J. Montgomery, Wetaskiwin.
Child Welfare and Public Health—Mrs. J. A. Rodell.
Education and Better Schools—Mrs. McLean, Millet.
Legislation—Mrs. J. I. Poole, Wetaskiwin.

Immigration—Mrs. Mellett.
Agriculture—Mrs. A. J. Rix, Angus Ridge.

Canadianization and National Events—Mrs. J. Arnold, Cherry Grove.
Publicity convener—Mrs. H. J. Montgomery.

Interesting discussions took place and many helpful suggestions were given.

The business items on the program were interspersed with excellent numbers of an entertaining nature, those contributing being:

Miss Lillian Bailey—Reading.
Mrs. Condie—Violin solo.
Miss Marjorie Robinson—Piano solo.

Miss McLean, Millet—Reading.
Mrs. Brink—Vocal solo.

The extent to which these numbers were enjoyed may be realized from the fact that every number was enjoyed.

A vote of thanks was tendered to those contributing, and a special in-

itation extended to them to remain and partake of the refreshments provided.

Two long tables were set for the guests. Sprays of autumn leaves tastefully arranged on the cloths made a charming background for the silver basket filled with sweet peas which centered each table.

About sixty ladies sat down to supper, at the close of which Mrs. McLean of Millet moved a vote of thanks to the Wetaskiwin ladies. This was seconded by Mrs. Ferguson of Angus Ridge.

The conference was universally declared a most successful one.

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GRAIN LOADINGS

Delay in threshing operations due to rains has held up somewhat the movement of grain from the western harvest fields, according to grain loading figures issued on September 16th. Loadings at that time, however, was being made at the rate of about 200 cars daily. Since August 1, the opening of the present crop year, a total of 2,381 cars containing 3,838,000 bushels of grain had been loaded at C.N.R. points. Of this number, 144 cars were delivered to Vancouver.

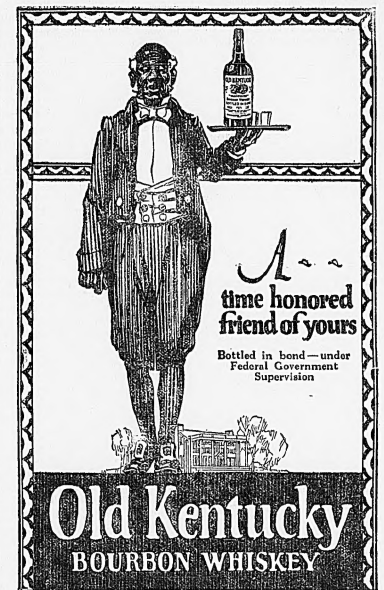
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INTERESTING LETTER
FROM J. W. BAILEY

The following letter was received this week from J. W. Bailey, who is on a motor trip to California, and was written from Forest Camp, on the boundary of Montana and Oregon, on Sept. 18th.

A considerable number of my friends wished me to write them on my trip. I have found, as many others, that writing many letters is sadly neglected on like occasions—there is so many interesting things to occupy one's time and attention, I am writing you for publication in 'The Times' for those who are interested, an account of my trip so far. I am not travelling fast, stopping or going just as I feel. I left home on September 1st, in the evening, stopping overnight at Lacombe and Crossfield, staying at Calgary two days, continuing on south through Okotoks, High River, Nanton, Macleod arriving at Cardston Saturday night, where I stayed two days. I had a splendid visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. Finkle, saw the Mor-

non temple and went fishing in St. Mary's river—caught 29 greyling and a two pound trout one afternoon. Cardston is a pretty place with many pretty flower gardens. The temple and grounds are beautiful. Mr. Finkle told me it is built after King Solomon's temple. About three quarters of the population are Mormons. The principal crop is wheat. Mr. Finkle billed out about 1,000,000 bushels last year. The crop is good all through the south country this year.

From Cardston I continued south about 18 miles to the border. Registering and passing inspection at both Canadian and U.S. customs, I did not experience the inconvenience that has been reported, no doubt, some of the letters and papers that I had helped. There is much rough and rocky country, commencing on the Canadian side and continuing to date. I reached the National Glacier Park highway about 16 miles from the boundary and camped three nights and two days at Many Glaciers in the park. The scenery there is grand, many rugged mountains and canyons, trout streams, small lakes—I have never seen anything better. Will mention I am not trout hungry now. From Many Glaciers I drove 55 miles to Glacier Park station, the mountains between these points were not particularly rough, part of the way open and part timbered with pine. The highway leads practically to the top of one mountain. It was up, up, then up some more. My old Lizzie nearly got out of breath. From Glacier Park station I shipped by rail to Belton, Mont., about 60 miles. From Belton to Kalispell, in the Flat Head valley, Kalispell is a very fine place of about 6000, surrounded by a good farming country. It threatened rain and I stopped for the night at the camp in the fair grounds, where they have a splendid accommodation for tourists, at a charge of 50c per day, with a cot, a Mr. Bailey, in charge. For cooking there are two wood stoves, an electric range and oven, bathroom, buildings to sleep in and others to run the cars in, in case of storms. Travelers are used courteously and well looked after, a fine place to stop again. From Kalispell to Libby, 98 miles, a splendid large town in the mountains, about 3000 inhabitants, chit industries mining and lumbering. 23 miles to another mountain town, Troy, Mont., about 2500 inhabitants; industries, lead mining and large saw mills.

Shortly after leaving Cardston, I have travelled over 250 miles very

neatly all the way through a wild and rugged country, a large share of the way through forests of pine, fir and spruce, the distance from Kalispell to present camp, 50 miles, has been particularly interesting to me. The greater part of the distance being through virgin mountain forests with small districts here and there broken into by sawmills. Much of the way only enough trees were cut for a narrow road. For those caring for nature this is a splendid route, the roads are splendid part of the way, other parts are somewhat rough and one needs to go slow. I passed through some particularly fine scenery yesterday on nearing Troy. The road ran along a high mountain side with very pretty falls on the Kootenay river far below, and high mountains on the other side. Unfortunately, it was misty and I could not get a picture. I am something over 100 miles from Spokane and will continue on if it does not rain, as it has today. I have my tent up and am comfortable, having spent the day in a most lovely place. I have a fox terrier pup with me, and he makes a good night watch. At Many Glaciers camp the bears had been taking provisions out of tents but the pup kept them out of camp the three nights I was there. With best wishes to yourself and other friends. I am Yours, J. Ward Bailey.

MISS HARRIS GIVES
POETIC RECITALS

The recitals given by Miss Elizabeth Harris in the city during the past week were worthy of more attention than they received. Miss Harris possesses rare talent as a poetess and is best known by her book of verse "Gathered Flowers". Her poem "The Life of Christ" which she recited in the Methodist church on Sunday evening in print, covers the chief events from the Nativity to the Ascension. Her recital was accompanied by a beautiful set of lantern views depicting each event.

In her recital of "The Trail of the Lingering Redman" which is also her own composition, Miss Harris reveals an extensive acquaintance with the legends and habits of early Indian life, which she used her poetic instinct to put into verse, that reminds one of the rhythm of Hiawatha. In her depicting of the driving back of the waters from the prairies and the coming first of wild animals and then of man, she shows a poetic excellence that should rank her high among the producers of Canadian verse. Of special interest to the people of Wetaskiwin is her recital on the event that many years ago transpired on the Hills of Peace and which gave Wetaskiwin its name. We respect it with Miss Harris' kind permission. It is under the protection of her copyright.

As the Indians in great numbers, gathered round the glowing camp fire with rapt faces sat and listened. This old chieftain, ever gracious, noted for his clever speech, and inspired by such attention Told them stories of great battles Fought between the Cree and Blackfoot.

Told the legend of Wetaskiwin—Of the hills they named Wetaskiwin. In the dawn of the night morning A young Cree chieftain, wandering, Creeping lightly to the hilltop Came upon his foe the Blackfoot; Boldly fighting, madly wrestling, Neither faltering nor relenting, Each unconquered, strong young warrior.

Pausing for a moment's resting, Wondering how he best might conquer. The young Cree drew forth his Peace Pipe.

Took a whiff, and 'twas the custom. Offered it to his companion; So it happened on that morning On the hilltop just at sunrise, These two warriors smoked the peace pipe.

Smoked the calumet together, And they called the hills Wetaskiwin 'Hills of Peace' they truly named them.

So it was that Cree and Blackfoot, After years of bitter conflict, Born to hatred of each other, Smoked at last the pipe together.

It is doubtful whether a more elaborate and artistic set of lantern slides was ever shown in Wetaskiwin than that which is used to illustrate this recital.

During the past week Miss Harris gave recitals to the Indians at Hobo and to the patients at the Ponoka hospital.

Provost, Alta., Sept. 20.—On Tuesday evening a robbery took place in Provost. On Wednesday morning it was found that the J. L. Simpson general store had been entered by a back window and a considerable sum of money taken from the till.

B.C. Indians Put to Death
Man Believed in League
With Spirits of Evil

Vancouver, Sept. 24.—Belief in the power of a sorcerer and necromancer which exists among Indian tribes in a little known portion of northern British Columbia, is said to be responsible for the murder of a man named Athol, or Moccasin, by his fellow tribesmen of a nomadic band in Laird Valley.

A Royal Canadian Mounted Police patrol has reached Telegraph Creek with the woman, who, it is alleged, killed the man when the Indians became convinced he was practicing sorcery. Four others were brought to Telegraph Creek as accessories.

According to the brief accounts contained in the official reports telegraphed here, the killing took place into last year at Thirty Mile Bar on Laird river. It is alleged that Athol was suspected of casting spells and invoking malignant influences of the spirits to work ill to other members of the band. Deaths among tribesmen, poor hunting and other disasters were credited to him.

He was seized and tied to a pole, and, and was slowly dying when he was killed by the Indians and thrust to hasten his death. Others charged with being accessories to the murder are said to have assisted in the deed.

STORM'S DEATH
TOLL IS GROWING

St. Paul, Sept. 22.—Mounting throughout the day as news reports came in, the death toll in Sunday's storms in Minnesota and Wisconsin tonight at three score persons, with sections in the latter state bearing the brunt of the grim burden.

Known dead in Wisconsin had reached 53 tonight, while Minnesota's total remained at five, but continued isolation in communication in many Wisconsin communities caused the fear that the list in that state might be further increased.

Patchwork wires permitted only meagre details to trickle out of the devastated countryside in sections of central and northern Wisconsin, gradually swelling the list of casualties and sending into high figures the estimates of monetary damage.

Besides many dead, perhaps an equal number suffered injuries requiring attention, for from the Thompson Owen district alone 25 seriously injured persons were sent to hospitals at Chippewa Falls, Stanley and Owen-Wis.

Violent wind and rain storms spread down, and was slowly dying when he was killed by the Indians and thrust to hasten his death. Others charged with being accessories to the murder are said to have assisted in the deed.

tion was disorganized. Around St. Paul the wind attained a velocity of 80 miles an hour.

The readers of the October issue of Rod and Gun in Canada are introduced to the intimate haunts of the elk, the red fox and the moose. There are numerous other worth-while articles and stories and the regular contributors have packed their departments full of interesting material from first hand experience. Rod and Gun in Canada is published monthly by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont.

DECREASE IN FOREST FIRES

With the exception of British Columbia there has been an encouraging decrease in the number of forest fires in Canada during the present year according to W. H. Kilby, chief of forest protection of the Canadian National railways. This favorable condition Mr. Kilby attributed largely to the intensive education campaign carried on through the newspapers of the dominion and to the closer coordination on the part of the railways with the forestry officers of the government.

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Board and room for men available at \$7.00 per week. Board and room for women provided in modern Government Dormitories, \$23.00 per month. For the first time the O. S. A. is offering a third year, which is a matriculation course. The course is also free, it is for the graduates of the Agricultural Schools. It opens Oct. 29th and closes the end of April.

Government pays the railway fares to and from Olds for students from Vermilion and Youngstown Agricultural School Districts. For further particulars apply to:

DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, EDMONTON, ALTA. PRINCIPAL OF O.S.A. OLDS, ALTA.

GENERAL CHANGE
IN
TRAIN SERVICE

effective Sunday
September 14, 1924

Times for trains at Wetaskiwin will be:

Northbound Southbound
521-6:55 a.m. Daily 524-1:26 a.m.
525-7:45 p.m. Daily 522-8:46 a.m.
523-1:50 p.m. Daily 524-1:26 p.m.
ex. Sun.

51, L.V. 5:40 a.m. Dy 52, Ar. 11:30 p.m.
527 10:46 a.m. Dy 528 Ar. 7:45 p.m.
ex. Sun.

Westbound Eastbound
51 Ar. 5:30 a.m. Dy 52 Lv. 11:35 p.m.
527 Ar. 10:40 a.m. Dy 525 Lv. 7:45 p.m.
ex. Sun.

Trans-Canada Limited, Nos. 7 and 14, between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver will be withdrawn. Last train leaves each of these points on September 13, 1924.

The Mountaineer, trains Nos. 13 and 14, between Chicago and Vancouver, has been withdrawn west of Moose Jaw. Connections at Moose Jaw from and to St. Paul with trains Nos. 1 and 2.

For further particulars apply to any ticket agent.

J. E. Proctor,
Dist. Pass. Agent,
Calgary

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From Sept. 29th to Oct. 4th

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A highly mercerized striped cotton suitable for slips, bloomers and vests, in flesh, peach, sand, paddy and grey. 37 inches wide.
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Quality Footwear \$3.95

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Our selection of distinctive footwear for women at this price are the best value we have shown in years. They fit well, have real style and never fail to give satisfactory wear. Suedes, calfs, patents, in slippers, oxfords, with medium and low heels. Sizes 2½ to 8. Lawson Store value at \$3.95

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FOR SALE—Ford touring car in good condition, 1918 model. Price reasonable for immediate sale. Apply to Box "T," Times office. 27-11

FOR SALE—Stanley Jones tractor and separator with all belts, also motor drive belt. Price \$700.00, half cash, balance arranged. Apply Edward Johnson, Wynne, Phone 3507. 26-11n

For Rent

FOR RENT—Semi-detached, 6 room house on Lorne St. W. Inside newly decorated and well finished; warm and bright; possession Oct. 1. Apply 221 Lorne St. W. 27-11n

FOR RENT—Room in The Times Block, with large, cool basement if desired. Apply to The Times office. 24-11n

Lost

LOST—On Sunday, between Wetaskiwin and Larch Tree school, a brown raincoat with plaid lining. Reward by leaving same at The Times office. 27-11

Found

FOUND—On Lorne street west on Monday, a hammer. Owner can have same by applying at Times office and paying for advt. 27-11n

Miscellaneous

TENTS AND AWNINGS—Repaired. Let us look over your tents and awnings before the spring rush begins. Also your auto, carriage and furniture. Highest class work promptly done at lowest prices. Drop a card to W. J. Pickard, Wetaskiwin. 4-11n

AUCTION—For satisfaction and service, get Mitchell the Auctioneer, Member A.A.A. Auction sales conducted anywhere. Phone 15, Millet.

NOTICE

TO CHARLES D. YOUNG, formerly of Bittern Lake, in the Province of Alberta:

TAKE NOTICE that the Imperial Bank of Canada by their Solicitors, Howatt & Howatt of Edmonton, Alberta, has commenced an action in the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Edmonton, against you for payment of the sum of \$2374.75 with interest according to the terms of a certain mortgage dated the 15th day of June, 1918, made by you to H. L. Graves of Pigeon Lake, Alberta, and in default sale or foreclosure and possession, etc.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that you are required to file a demand of notice or statement of defence in my office at the Court House, Edmonton, aforesaid, on or before the 18th day of October, 1924, and to serve a copy of the same upon the Plaintiff's Solicitors and in default of your so doing Judgment may be given in your absence without further notice to you.

This notice is published pursuant to order of Master in Chambers at Edmonton aforesaid.

Dated at Edmonton aforesaid, this 10th day of September, A.D. 1924.

R. P. Wallace, C.S.C.

Approved: "A. Y. B." (U.S.) 26-11n

WETASKIWIN MARKETS

September 24, 1924	
No. 1 Northern	1.26
No. 2 Northern	1.17
No. 3 Northern	1.14
No. 4 Northern	1.02
Barley	58 - .66
Oats	39 - .45
Rye	72 - .87
Hops	7.50
Hogs	7.75
Steers	2.50
Cows	2.50
Sheep	5.00
Spring Lambs	1.10
Eggs (fresh)	30
Butter	25 - .39
Spring Chickens	19
Hens	26

CHURCH CHIMES

IMMANUEL CHURCH
(Anglican)
Sunday, September 28th, 1924
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning service.
2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

UNITED CHURCH—MILLET

Rev. Percy Hanson, Pastor

Sunday school 11 a.m. Great Sunday school rally.

Service at 7:30, subject "Neighbors." The children will take part in the service.

Larch Tree:

Sunday school rally service 11 a.m.

Hillside:

Let everybody come and encourage the children in doing good and getting right.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D.

Sunday, September 28th, 1924

11 a.m.—"The Lord's Supper."

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—"The Christian Religion as a Power for Life and Not a Luxury."

Wednesday at 7:30—Teacher training and prayer meeting.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday morning.

On Friday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a preparatory service, when new members will be received, either by profession of faith or by certificate.

The session will meet on Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Cherry Grove and Angus Ridge

Sunday, September 28th, 1924

2 p.m.—Public worship in Angus Ridge school. This will be the last service for the summer, except the special Thanksgiving service to be held on November 3.

2 p.m.—Sunday school.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, September 28th, 1924

Rally Sunday—

11 a.m.—Big rally service for parents and children with a special address to the boys and girls.

2:30 p.m.—Special open session of the Sunday school with roll-call of classes. Every class is asking to have a 100 per cent attendance and has a special welcome for visitors and new children.

7:30 p.m.—A congregational rally, opening with a song service. Subject "The Church Union Bill." Shall we vote ourselves out? Everybody is interested in this subject of vital moment.

On Monday evening the Ladies Aid will be "At Home" to all the members of the congregation and friends. Come with a pleasant smile and be prepared for a good time.

ST. JOHN'S EV. LUTHERAN.

Sunday, September 28th, 1924

Special Harvest Home services will be held in St. John's Ev. Lutheran church, Pleasant Prairie.

Morning service with communion: 10:45 a.m.

Evening service (English) 8 p.m.

Sunday school, 10 a.m.

E. G. Goos, Pastor.

SCANDINAVIAN BAPTIST

P. M. Meyer, Minister

Sunday, September 28th, 1924

Wetaskiwin, Sunday school and bible class, 11 a.m. Service, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, prayer meeting at Nov Sweden, 8:30 p.m.

Thursday afternoon, Oct. 2, Mrs. Abelson is inviting the Ladies' Aid to Nashville Baptist church.

Thursday night, prayer and testimony meeting in Wetaskiwin.

HILLSIDE

Mr. Clinton Marr, a prominent farmer of Elgin County, Ont., is visiting his cousins, Lloyd, Leslie and Howard Marr. Mr. Marr states that they have splendid crops in that part of Ontario this year.

The school children are jubilant over their successes at the school fair held recently in Millet. One hundred and twenty-eight prizes were secured.

Miss Hamilton, the teacher, is to be congratulated for her cooperation and energy shown in the short time that was allotted to her.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Swinton (nee Miss Adeline Schwartz) were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Schwartz's on Sunday.

A christening service was held on Sunday last, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Johnson, when the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Schwartz was given the name of Marion Leslie Schwartz.

Railway Day for Harvest Festival will be held on Sunday, the 28th, at 2:30 p.m. Everybody cordially invited.

The regular monthly meeting of the Millet U.F.W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Henry Young on Wednesday of last week. It was decided to hold a bazaar in November. The date will be announced later.

ENDOWMENT SCHEME FOR THE JUNIOR RED CROSS HOSPITAL

The Junior Red Cross hospital situated at Calgary for sick and crippled children, with its 38 beds and its patients of every nationality and creed, is one of the finest institutions in the Dominion of Canada. The maintenance of this hospital is the concerted effort of the children of the Red Cross who through their 800 branches assist in the raising of funds. The government also sends a special grant to assist this most worthy cause. But there are many other costs incidental to the Red Cross service for the sick, as special equipment, orthopaedic appliances, travelling expenses for needy children, etc.

In order to help with the expenses of operating the hospital the Red Cross has inaugurated a scheme for endowment by group effort. The gift of two hundred dollars annually will endow a bed for some sick child and with this assistance even for a partial number of beds the work of the Red Cross will be placed on a much more sound and satisfactory basis. Not only will some crippled child receive the treatment needed as a result of the local branch endowing a bed, but there will be a great encouragement given to the Junior Red Cross branches everywhere which are trying their best to send in their share towards the work.

The endowment of a hospital cot for a sick child who otherwise would have to be handicapped through the lack of funds is a community service which has a great appeal, and all who love children will be glad of this opportunity to do good by assisting the Red Cross in its humanitarian efforts.

DEATH LURKS IN KISS

Chavrin, Alberta, Sept. 20.—Does death sometimes lurk in a kiss? Residents of the Manitow Lake district believe so following the death of Mrs. W. Christian.

Some two weeks ago little Shirley Drake died of infantile paralysis. Mrs. Christian, a relative, kissed the dead child on the mouth, bidding it what she then thought would be a long farewell. A day or two later the young woman became seriously ill, and died yesterday of the same disease that struck down the child.

The epidemic of infantile paralysis that has been raging in this district for the past seven weeks now has claimed four victims. Ruby McCluskey, thirteen years old, died Wednesday after being ill twenty-four hours. She made the fourth victim.

PREPARE FOR BIG GRAIN RUSH

With 57 tramp steamers chartered to load grain for Europe in the near future, 75 thousand bushels of the present month, active preparations are in progress at the port of Montreal for the biggest rush of grain ever known on the St. Lawrence. To handle the rush there is a new elevator at Tarte pier, with a loading capacity of 120,000 bushels per hour, and the Windmill point elevator, which has been enhanced with a storage capacity of 3,500,000 bushels and a loading capacity of 100,000 bushels per hour.

Improvement of Home Surroundings

That the farmers of western Canada are now giving increasing attention to the improvement of the home surroundings is shown by the fact that they have not only planted 5,250,000 trees distributed from the Canadian government forestry stations this year, but have also purchased large quantities from private nurseries.

AN INCH OF RAIN

When the weather bureau reports an inch of rain has fallen, it means that the amount of water that has descended from the sky in that particular shower would have covered the surrounding territory to a depth of one inch if none of it had run off or soaked into the ground.

It means that on one acre of ground enough water to fill more than 200 barrels, of 45 gallons each, has fallen. That quantity of water weighs more than 110 tons. If the rainwater were collected in a tank, it would be a very small shower, indeed, 113,000 tons of water would fall from the clouds.

Rainstorms frequently cover whole provinces, and often two or three or five inches of water falls to the earth in one storm. In that case the weight of the water is simply enormous. A single widespread and heavy storm might result in a hundred billion tons of rain.

The general store of W. T. Phillips was broken into some time between the hour of closing on Tuesday evening and the hour of opening on Wednesday morning, and goods to the extent of \$150 taken.—Despatch.

NO SERIOUS FROST DAMAGE TO WHEAT CROP IS REPORTED

The damage to the wheat crop from frost in central Alberta will be light, according to present indications. Most of the farmers had their wheat out and in stock before the heavy frosts came and as a result there was no damage. In some cases the wheat was touched and the grade will be lower.

The heaviest frost to date came Sunday morning, when the thermometer went to four degrees below freezing point.—Bulletin.

GENERAL NEWS

Red Deer—H. W. Trimble, of the Red Deer Dairy Products Company, has received word that their twenty pounds of creamery butter, prize, received the first prize at the Toronto exhibition, making the high score of 98.5 per cent.

Dayland—Thomas Noble, of High How stock farm met with a serious accident last week. While stooping to pick up the lines, which had fallen beneath his team of horses in the yard, he was kicked in the abdomen with such force as to throw him ten feet away. Doctors Sherriff and Bordon attended him. He was very severely injured and is still confined to his bed, but at present is improving slowly.

New York, Sept. 21.—Part of the Canadian government's \$200,000,000 financing loan, amounting to \$90,000,000, offered in the United States, was subscribed this morning. The Chase Securities corporation, which headed the banking syndicate which handled the loan on this side of the line, announced shortly before noon the totals were closed, the amount having been very heavily oversubscribed. The new Canadian government notes bear interest at 4 per cent.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—Public offering is being made throughout Canada in the morning of the Dominion government's new 24-year refunding loan. This issue, which totals \$50,000,000, bears 4½ per cent interest and is offered to the public at 97 and accrued interest, which yields 4.73 per cent. The bonds are being offered by a powerful Canadian syndicate comprising A. R. Ames and Company, Wood Gundy and Company, Dominion Securities Corporation, National City Company Limited, Bank of Montreal, The Royal Bank of Canada and the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

The heaviest and most powerful locomotive in the British Empire has just been built for the Canadian National Railways by the Canadian Locomotive Works.

comotive Works. Engine No. 4100, as this new steel giant has been designated, ellipses for length and weight only is bigger in bulk but has a tremendous pulling power. Of the Santa Fe type, No. 4100 is 92 feet in length over all and weighs 325 tons.

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1924 BUSINESS TAX

Ratepayers liable for Business Tax in the City, are hereby notified that Tuesday, the 30th September, is the last day for obtaining the 10% discount.

To avoid losing the discount, payment is requested now, as after the 30th., no discount will be allowed on business taxes.

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City Clerk and Treasurer

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LOAN 1924

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Millet School Fair a Success

The Millet school fair, which was held on Thursday of last week, proved to be a very gratifying success. There were ten school districts represented and the list of exhibits was surprisingly large, there being no less than 65 exhibits of carrots, 64 of beets, 25 competitors in the sheet wheat class, and other exhibits in proportion. The quality of the exhibits was of a very high class—in fact one of the judges had seen at any of the fairs this year. The display of school work was also excellent, that of writing in grades IV, V and VI being particularly good. There was a large attendance, all the districts being well represented.

The fair was held under the superintendency of the Olds School of Agriculture, and the judges were: stock and grain, Mr. W. J. Elliott, formerly of the O.S.A.; domestic science, Miss McLaughlin, science teacher of the O.S.A.; vegetables and flowers, Mr. J. J. Loughlin of the O.S.A.; school work, Inspector E. L. Fuller, assisted by Mrs. J. A. English.

The competition in the dairy calf event for the Mitchell Cup was very keen and the judge had difficulty in making his award. This was won by Howard Higginson of the Larch Tree district. All the calves showed good care on the part of the boys.

The poultry exhibit was very fine, and the judge commented very favorably on the good quality of the birds brought out.

In the domestic science department the exhibit was good on the whole. Two boys entered the contest and both were well represented.

D. W. Warner, M.P., was in attendance and delivered an address to the children, encouraging them in their work, and emphasized the fact that they would be the farmers and farmers' wives a few years hence, and would then be the backbone of the nation. It was therefore important that they be good citizens and help assimilate the people from other countries who are coming here to settle. The big attraction in the forenoon was the street parade. The prizes given were as follows:

Best decorated hay rack—1, West Liberty district.

Best decorated vehicle—1, Wessenthal; 2, Waunuch.

The following were the winners in the athletic events:

Running board jump, boys under 14—1, Edward Somshor; 2, John Buchanan; 3, Alex Jerke.

Running hop, step and jump—2, Dermot Brennan; 3, Robt. Goin.

100 yard dash, boys under 12—1, Alex Kovar; 2, Fred Grinde; 3, Robt. Cox.

100 yard dash, girls under 12—1, Marie Scharrf; 2, Margaret Haines; 3, Ruth Somshor.

75 yard dash, boys under 10—1, Dermot Brennan; 2, John Buchanan; 3, Ray Buchanan.

75 yard dash, girls under 10—1, Emma Shultz; 2, Arpa Priebe; 3, Elsie Johnson.

100 yard dash, open—1, Irene Anderson; 2, Alda Warnke; 3, Laura Dugger.

Lady teachers' race—1, Miss Merle Hawkins; 2, Miss Annie Smith.

Boys' relay—1, Irene Anderson, Emma Shultz, Ralph Van Vorris, Muriel Atkins.

Three legged race, open—1, 2, Arthur Affolder and Alfonso Koor; 3, Three legged race, girls under 12—1, Ruth Somshor and Myrtle Hill; 2, Millie Pohl and Bernice Alberg.

Three legged race, boys under 12—1, Robt. Cox and Jas. Cox, Harvey Ayers and Win. Heslop.

The basket ball game between Bedford and Millet was very good, the former winning by a score of 7-4.

The following is the list of awards:

Carrots—1, Susie Haines, Grandview; 2, Fred Schmidt, Wessenthal; 3, Cal Johnson, Grandview; 4, Walter Schultz, Wessenthal; 5, Thelma Anderson, Millet; 6, Edith Scott, Millet; 7, Willie Haines, Grandview.

Beets—1, Beverly Spooner, Porto Bello; 2, Edith Scott, Millet; 3, N. E. Scott, Pipestone; 4, Alice Townsend, Porto Bello; 5, Carl Johnson, Grandview; 6, Geo. Pife, Wance; 7, Albert Townsend, Porto Bello.

Parasols—1, Mary Gray, Millet; 2, Susie Haines, Grandview; 3, Noel Heslop, West Liberty; 4, Willie Haines, Grandview; 5, Carl Johnson, Grandview; 6, Margaret Haines, Grandview; 7, Fred Gunde, Grandview.

Turnips—1, Alex Jerke, Larch Tree; 2, Alice Townsend, 3, Albert Townsend, Porto Bello; 4, Oliver Anderson, Millet; 5, James Hoskins, Millet; 7, N. M. Scott, Pipestone.

Mangoes—1, Victor Johnson, Pipestone; 2, Maurice Rogers, Pipestone; 3, Alfred Warnke, 4, Gustave Warnke, Hillside; 5, Alex Jerke, Larch Tree; 6, Aladin Warnke, Hillside; 7, Carl Johnson, Grandview.

Pears (ripe)—1, Mary Staerner, Porto Bello; 2, Clifford Alberg, Wance; 3, Alfred Fraser, Grandview; 4, Gladys Wagar, Hay Lake; 5, Carl Johnson, Grandview; 6, Lettie Johnson, Pipestone; 7, Howard Wance, Hay Lake.

Cabbage—1, Doris Phillips, West Liberty; 2, Laura Dugger, Larch Tree; 3, Alfred Warnke, Hillside; 4, Gustave Warnke, Hillside; 5, Katie Duchuk, Millet; 6, Kathleen Marr, Hillside; 7, Fred Gunde, Grandview.

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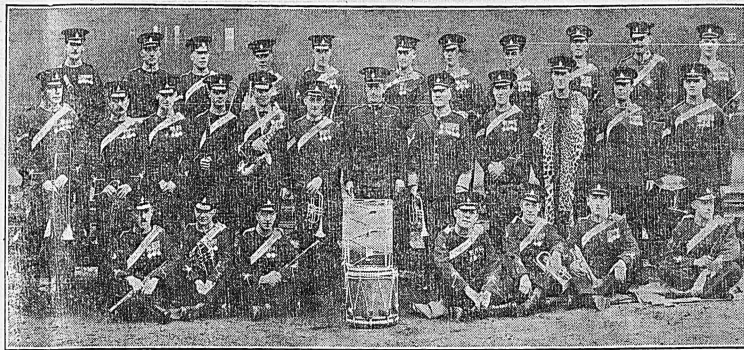
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FAMOUS CANADIAN REGIMENT'S BAND FOR BRITAIN

Photographed at Windsor Station, Montreal, prior to sailing on the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of France." The band of the famous Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, clad in peace-time scarlet, is on its way to the British Empire Exhibition, Wembley. Every man is a veteran of the war.

Addina Littman, Wessenthal.

Potatoes (white)—1, Albert Townsend, Porto Bello; 2, W. Heslop, West Liberty; 3, Roy Johnson, Millet; 4, Elsie Johnson, Pipestone; 5, Addina Littman, Wessenthal.

Potatoes (red)—1, James Gray, Millet; 2, Susie Haines, Grandview; 3, Margaret Haines, Grandview; 4, Kathleen Marr, Hillside.

Peas (dried)—1, Evelyn Christie, Millet; 2, Doris Phillips, West Liberty; 3, Laura Dugger, Larch Tree; 4, May Johnston, Pipestone; 5, Addina Littman, Wessenthal.

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The P. Burns Company of Edmonton shipped five carloads of butter from Edmonton to the old country last week. This company have been shipping fairly large quantities of butter to the old country markets and report that the demand for the product from Alberta is very good.

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Provincial Weekly News Bulletin

Provincial Seed Fair
The annual provincial seed fair in Alberta is to be held early in the new year at Calgary. For the past two years it has been held in Edmonton.

A Great Record
The Hutterite colony south of Raymond, according to a statement made by its leader recently in the press, has established a unique record in grain production. In the five years they have been in Southern Alberta, the colony has grown more wheat than in all the years of their operation in North Dakota, extending over two decades. In the five years the little colony near Raymond has produced 234,000 bushels of wheat.

School Fairs
About 120 school fairs are being held this year and are now in full progress. The fairs are being directed from five centres: Clearwater, Olds, Sedgewick, Vermilion and Edmonton. Very keen interest is being taken, and the attendance and exhibits are good.

New Government Elevator Operating
The new Dominion government terminal elevator just completed at Edmonton is now receiving grain, having taken the first of two carloads last week.

Pay on Vancouver Basis
For the first time since the western route via Vancouver became operative for Alberta wheat shipments, farmers are to receive this year a price based on the Vancouver basis, instead of the Port William basis which has been the basis of payment for years. The

wheat pool officials have announced that the initial payment this season will be \$1.00 a bushel on the Vancouver basis, which means that the farmers will gain the advantage of the lesser freight charge.

Stock with Black Bass
For the first time an Alberta lake is to be stocked with adult black bass. Through the efforts of the Northern Alberta Game and Fish Protective League, two hundred adult black bass have been brought in from Ontario, a present from Premier Ferguson, and will be placed in Ministère Lake in the Elk Island Park east of Edmonton. A special car for the fish was provided by the Canadian National Railways.

Alberta Poultry Goes Abroad
Shipments of live poultry from Alberta are being made to points as far away as New York, Montreal, Seattle and Vancouver. The live poultry is handled in special cars made for the purpose, and this form of marketing the poultry has been found very popular.

Edmonton Bye-Election
The writ for the Edmonton bye-election of Hon. J. R. Boyce to the bench, has been issued, setting October 17 as nomination day, and October 27 as polling day.

Moving Settlers Northward
Through the joint arrangement between the Dominion and provincial governments and the railways, about 100 families have been moved from the dry areas in the southeastern part of the province to new locations in the foothill country and in different districts in northern Alberta, the provincial department of agriculture assisting in getting these settlers located. The provincial department has not been able to get listings of land for settlers along the C.P.R. lines as freely as expected, although it is understood that farmers are going into the districts northwest and southwest of Calgary and in the Cardston and Pincher Creek districts. It is apparent that these farmers are finding no difficulty in securing locations when they visit these districts themselves. Along the C.N.R. lines a number of listings have been secured, the boards of trade in the various towns offering their services in settling the farmers who move to these districts.

Arrangements have now been made whereby farmers living along the C.P.R. lines in the south can move to points on the C.N.R. by paying one-third of their freight bill as far as Calgary, the transfer point. Those farmers moving from C.N.R. points in the south to C.P.R. points in the north are also asked to pay one-third of the freight to the junction point.

A large number of farmers in the dry areas of the south took advantage during the harvest season of the arrangements made by the provincial department to provide labor for them in the harvest fields. The demand has been such that those farmers who wished work of this nature had no difficulty in procuring it.

INITIAL PAYMENTS TO FARMERS BY ALTA. WHEAT POOL

Initial payments will be made on the following basis for car lots to members of the Alberta wheat pool, basis Vancouver, for the present season's crop:

1 Northern	\$1.00
2 Northern .....	.97
3 Northern .....	.92
No. 4 .....	.85
No. 5 .....	.78
No. 6 .....	.72
No. 1 Alta. Red .....	.95
No. 2 Alta. Red .....	.92
No. 3 Alta. Red .....	.87
No. 1 Durum .....	.92
No. 2 Durum .....	.89
No. 3 Durum .....	.84
Tough 1 Nor. ....	.92
Tough 2 Nor. ....	.89
Rejected 1 Nor. ....	.92
Rejected 2 Nor. ....	.89
Rejected 3 Nor. ....	.84
Smutty 1 Nor. ....	.90
Smutty 2 Nor. ....	.87
Smutty 3 Nor. ....	.82
Smutty .....	.78
Tough Smutty's 1c and Tough Rejected 1c under straight grades.	

Experiments are being conducted in the west this season with two new brands of wheat, both of them of earlier maturity than Marquis. One is the Reward type and the other known as Garnet. Whilst not rust resisting they are designed to mature before the rust season comes on. The plants were bred at the Central Experiment Farm at Ottawa and the seed has been sent out to fifty farms in the west. If the promising results are finally attained the new wheat may revolutionize production.

MILLET SCHOOL FAIR A SUCCESS

(Continued from Page 6)
Ing. 4 Kathleen Marr, 5 L. Marr, 6 Elia Huff, Hillsdale.

Landscape in water color—1 Alfred Warnke, 2 Annie Deering, 3 Kenneth Marr, 4 Lyle Marr, 5 Tilla Lentz, 6 Kathleen Marr, 7 G. Warnke, Hillsdale. Poster or bulletin—1 Annie Deering, Hillsdale; 2 Esther Meyers, 3 C. Scharff, West Liberty; 4 Elia Huff, 5 Alfred Warnke, 6 Kenneth Marr, 7 Lyle Marr, Hillsdale.

Cardboard box—1 Annie Deering, 2 L. Marr, 3 Alfred Warnke, 4 Kenneth Marr, 5 G. Warnke, 6 P. Gansko, 7 Kathleen Marr, Hillsdale.

Landscape, including trees, in pencil—1 Dorothy Evans, Grandview; 2 Barbara Marr, 3 Alida Warnke, Hillsdale; 4 Mary Stuehmer, Porto Bello; 5 Susie Haines, Grandview; 6 Lella Marr, Hillsdale; 7 Lillian Thompson, Larch Tree.

Spice of wall of room in color—1 Eileen Spooner, Porto Bello; 2 Barbara Marr, 3 Lella Marr, 4 Alida Warnke, Hillsdale.

Pencil drawing of table or chair—1 Alida Warnke, 2 Barbara Marr, 3 Lella Marr, Hillsdale.

Plan of school garden—1 Lella Marr, 2 Alida Warnke, Hillsdale. Booklet Problem—1 Lillian Thompson, Larch Tree; 2 Mary Stuehmer, Porto Bello; 3 Sara Dugger, Larch Tree; 4 Alida Warnke, 5 Barbara Marr, Hillsdale.

Decorative composition — 1 Alida Gray, Millet.

Pen or pencil drawing (perspective)—1 Nora Goin, 2 Mary Stuehmer, 3 Alida Gray, 4 Pearl Gray, Millet.

Design from plant or animal—1 Alida Gray, 2 Pearl Gray, Millet. Initial or monogram—1 Nora Goin, 2 Pearl Gray, 3 Alida Gray, 4 Gladys Nordrup, Millet.

Grades I and II, 8 lines in pencil—1 Mitty Pohl, Wesson; 2 Ruth Ekstorb, brook, 3 Beatrice Haugstol, Millet; 4 Henry Grinde, Grandview; 5 Eunice Olson, Millet; 6 Freda Evans, Grandview; 7 Ruth Rowley, Millet.

Grades III, IV and V, 50 to 75 words in ink—1 Wyn. Hushp, 2 Arpa Meyers, West Liberty; 3 Vera Johnson, Larch Tree; 4 Elwood Thompson, Larch Tree; 5 Lella Johnston, Pipestone; 6 Beatrice Young, Pipestone; 7 Olga Stengel, Larch Tree.

Open, 50 to 100 words—1 Edith Hushp, West Liberty; 2 Mary Stuehmer, Porto Bello; 3 Mabel Clark, West Liberty; 4 Gladys Warnke, Hillsdale; 5 Isabel Johnston, Larch Tree; 6 Mary Smith, Millet; 7 Lillian Thompson, Larch Tree.

Business letter, open—1 Gladys Nordrup, 2 Mary Stuehmer, Millet; 3 Arpa Pribe, Wesson; 4 Lucy Rickets, Millet; 5 Lillian Thompson, Larch Tree; 6 Arpa Fitz, Wesson; 7 Gladys Warnke, Hillsdale.

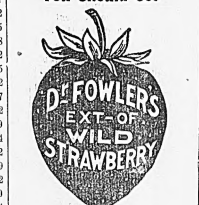
Map of Alberta—1 Mabel Clark, 2 Edith Hushp, 3 Arpa Meyers, West Liberty; 4 Annie Deering, Hillsdale; 5 Connie Scharff, West Liberty; 6 Albert Townsend, Porto Bello; 7 Kenneth Marr, Hillsdale.

Map of Canada—1 Lillian Thompson, Larch Tree; 2 Susie Haines, Grandview; 3 Gladys Warnke, Hillsdale; 4 Eileen Spooner, Porto Bello; 5 Laura Dugger, Larch Tree; 6 Mary Stuehmer, Porto Bello; 7 Margaret Haines, Grandview.

Map of the World—1 Pearl Gray, Millet; 2 Nora Goin, Millet. Collection of insects—1 Florence Lennox, 2 Beverley Spooner, 3 Albert Townsend, Porto Bello.

Collection of noxious weeds—1 Eileen Spooner, Porto Bello. Special by Walter Carr, on milk and

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milk products—1 Lillian Thompson, Larch Tree.

FORGETTING

I call my seven nieces, I call my nephews nine, and say: "My wrath is upon you—on aching heart is mine. You keep me sadly fretting, you keep me peevish and blue; you always are forgetting the things you ought to do. You don't forget diversions where all the bright lights are; you don't forget excursions to swimming holes; you don't forget the dances or pink and purple tea; or any circumstances affording transient glee. Neglectful of my wishes on errands vain you trot; you do not wash the dishes, and tell me you forgot. You do not sweep the garret or oil the phonograph; you do not feed the parrot or groom the brindled cat. You do not secure the easement until there is no spot; you fail to scrub the basement, and tell me you forgot. Ah, thoughtless, heedless frecklers, my grinch is growing big; you do not comb my whiskers or air my Sunday wig. You do not herd the chickens or rinse the coffee pot, and when I raise the dice you tell me you forgot. Oh, nephews, this forgetting the things you ought to do will someday I am betting, bring ghastly grief to you. Oh, nephews, this forgetting all things but idle fun, will bring you care and fretting, and trouble by the ton. They find the going better, whose heads are on the job; the vacuum forgetter trains with the has-been mob."—Walt Mason.

Woodstock, Ont.—W. J. Blair, leader of the Alberta Conservatives, father of Miss Eleanor Blair who was injured in an automobile accident at Owen Sound, where Miss Erna Nethercott, Woodstock, was killed, has arrived here. He said the injuries to his daughter were more serious than reported, and it will be some months at least before she will be able to leave the hospital. Miss Blair is a student at Woodstock Collegiate Institute.

Edmonton, Sept. 22. — The British Petroleum oil well No. 4, which came in Friday, last night was reported to be flowing about 200 barrels a day, according to directors of the company who have returned here from a visit to the well. It is said to be excellent oil and of a better quality than that procured in No. 2 well.

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Smith's Variety Store

Rev. C. Thies of Wetaskiwin, secretary for Alberta and British Columbia of the Mission Board of the Lutheran Church, was visiting Rev. Mr. Hermann at Red Deer on Monday. He was down to install Rev. A. Fenske in the charge of Athabasca

and neighboring district. Mr. Hermann has hitherto covered this work, and last Sunday motored 110 miles, and preached four times, which is rather strenuous, and Mr. Fenske has come to relieve him of the western work.

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MILLET

The contractors are putting more men on so that Dr. Plant's house can be finished before freeze up.
 Threshing commenced in the district last Tuesday, but has been held up owing to the rain. The hum of the threshing machine is again heard and the elevators are working overtime, taking in the grain. Ten threshing outfits have been sold to the farmers in the Millet district the last eight days.
 Car agents, machine agents, cream separator agents and every agent that has anything to sell is crowding the streets of Millet. What a great thing it is to have a good crop!

Three Hebrews dropped off here last week. They were very mysterious. Some say they are going to either open up a general store or build a synagogue. What's the use?

Millet school fair was the best yet. See full details in another column.
 Grand Master Macpherson and Bro. Solberg, Grand Sentinel, of Ryley, visited the Millet Old Fellows lodge on Wednesday night.

Roy Campbell has sold his barber shop and is moving to Edmonton.

All machine agents have sold out of binder twine, and more binders have been sold in the district than any previous season.
 H. C. Cooke was a visitor to the school fair on Thursday last.
 D. W. Warner was also a visitor to Millet last Thursday, and gave a very instructive address to the children and grownups at the fair. W. V. Prevey of Edmonton accompanied Mr. Warner.

CHERRY GROVE

Threshing has commenced in the district and will be quite general next week if the weather is favorable. The yields are turning out better than was at first expected.

Harold Switzer, who was driving a tramway at Lake Louise this summer, returned home a few days ago. Miss Helen Switzer returned home the first of the week after visiting relatives and friends in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Malmus are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Crester Doupe in Edmonton for a few days.

BORN

RICKARD—On the 13th inst., at the Royal Alexandra hospital, Edmonton, to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rickard, a daughter.

MILLER—Near Millet, on the 21st inst., to Mr. and Mrs. August Miller, a son.

TOWN TOPICS

Geo. L. Owen returned a few days ago from his visit to Winnipeg.

W. J. Loggie was an Edmonton visitor over the weekend.

Mrs. Ness and son, who have been visiting friends in Calgary, returned home the fore part of the week.

"P. J. & C. J. Klaus held a successful combination sale next to the post office on Saturday afternoon last.

Mrs. Higginson has leased a cottage near the creamery and has moved therein.

Axel Skoogard, the Danish violinist, will give a concert in Wetaskiwin on November 10th. Note the date.

Martin Langston left Monday morning to accept a position as school teacher near Calgary.

The Catholic Women's League intended holding their annual bazaar and chicken dinner during the first week in December. Particulars later.

A rummage sale will take place in the Fowler block on Saturday of this week, Sept. 27th, when coats, and other articles will be offered.

Mrs. John Ward is erecting a residence in the western part of the city, and expects to occupy the same before the cold weather sets in.

Miss Edith Owen, who spent her vacation with friends in Edmonton, returned last week and has resumed her position as stenographer in the Bank of Montreal.

Bob Alexander, who is now employed in Calgary, visited his aunt, Mrs. William Mellett, and other friends during the week. He returned to Calgary Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Laidlaw of Windsor, Ont., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Chandler several days during the past week. They were returning from a motor trip through California and along the Pacific coast.

C. E. Vaughn has moved a building from the ranch north of the city, to the lot on Railway street west, which he is having fixed up as a residence. He and Mrs. Vaughn will occupy same as soon as the work is completed.

Mr. Ray and Miss Nora Compton, both of whom are now in Edmonton, spent the weekend under the parental roof. Ray is employed in the office of Campbell, Wilson & Horne, wholesale grocers, and Nora is a student at Alberta College North.

The chicken supper which was served by the Scandinavian Hospital Aid Society in the U.F.A. block on Saturday evening was a very gratifying success. The crowd was even larger than expected, and the proceeds amounted to nearly \$100.00.

The Grand First Principal of the Grand Chapter of Alberta, R.A.M., Most Ex. Comp. J. E. Johnston, of Calgary, and the Grand Superintendent, Rt. Ex. Comp. George Best, of Red Deer, will pay an official visit to Mount Horeb Chapter, here, on Friday evening of this week.

Mrs. Niles, of Merriton, Ont., and daughter, Miss Niles, of New York, who have been spending the summer guests of the former's son, Chet, and visiting the coast, left for their homes last week. Mrs. Niles is enamored with Ma-me-o Beach as a summer resort, and expects to return next season to spend her vacation.

Messrs. H. J. Montgomery and J. J. Christopher attended the Liberal convention at Calgary last week as delegates from the Wetaskiwin association. They report the convention was very successful, and that the enthusiasm was great. Arrangements were made for the holding of a provincial convention at Calgary on November 27th.

A. E. Maags was at Trochu the early part of the week, attending the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. A. Watson, who passed away on Friday last following an operation. He accompanied his mother, Mrs. G. J. Maags, of Winnipeg, from Wetaskiwin. Mrs. Maags, ex. Mrs. daughter, Mrs. H. J. Payne, of Vermilion, are spending a few days in the city.

Messrs. Rowley, formerly of Millet, and Alfred Dahms, one of the pioneer residents of this district, came up from their homes in Payalup, Wash., on Saturday last to renew acquaintances and look after business affairs. Mr. Dahms informed The Times that all the former Wetaskiwiners who have settled there are doing nicely and appear to like their surroundings.

If you want to view a picture of perambulating man in the Forty-Niner model of the "Overland Sedan," See the play "The Covered Wagon" at the Angus Theatre On October sixth or seventh—or the eighth, if you prefer.

SAMPLES SENT

TO MONTREAL TO BE TESTED

Samples of sodium sulphate and bentonite, procured from this district, are being forwarded to Montreal for test purposes by Howard Stutchbury, provincial trade commissioner. The samples are required in connection with the experimental manufacture of paper from Alberta cereal straw, which has now reached a promising stage. It is announced.

Efforts are being made by the commissioner to secure suitable samples of clay to be used as fillers in the manufacture of the paper, and it is hoped that the desired variety will be forthcoming from the province.

A Rummage Sale will take place at Owen's Corner on Saturday, September 27th, when coats, and other warm clothing will be offered.

The Willing Workers of Knox Presbyterian church will hold their annual Tea and Sale of Home Cooking on Saturday, September 27, in the Sunday School room.

The Women's Missionary Society and the Mission Band of the Methodist church will hold a bazaar and sale of food on Saturday, December 13th. Particulars later.

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